

Day 2

Imperfect Tense - pgs. 34-37

• 2nd Conjugation: moneo, mone! re

<u>Person</u>	<u>Singular</u>	<u>Plural</u>
1st	monebam	monebamus
2nd	monebar	monebatis
3rd	monebat	monebant

• 3rd Conjugation: duco, duce! re

<u>Person</u>	<u>Singular</u>	<u>Plural</u>
1st	ducebam	ducebamus
2nd	ducebas	ducebatis
3rd	ducebat	ducebant

* 4th Conjugation has a special rule: add -e- between -i- and -b-.

• 4th Conjugation: audio, audi! re

<u>Person</u>	<u>Singular</u>	<u>Plural</u>
1st	audiebam	audiebamus
2nd	audiebas	audiebatis
3rd	audiebat	audiebant

3. The imperfect is often used as a descriptive form, it helps to describe actions in a story.

4. You can translate the imperfect as:

Subject + was/were + verbing